

CHAPTER 1096
LOCAL SECONDARY ROADS

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AN ACT to allow a county board of supervisors to use funds from the county farm-to-market road fund for the construction and reconstruction of local secondary roads.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Section 1. Chapter three hundred nine (309), Code 1979, is amended by adding the following new section as section three hundred nine point ten (309.10) of the Code:

NEW SECTION. 309.10 USE OF FARM-TO-MARKET ROAD FUND. Notwithstanding the provisions of section three hundred ten point four (310.4) of the Code, if the board of supervisors of a county does not plan to utilize its farm-to-market road fund allocation for the succeeding calendar year for farm-to-market projects, the board may annually, by stipulation in the secondary road construction program and secondary road budget submitted to the department in accordance with sections three hundred nine point twenty-two (309.22) and three hundred nine point ninety-three (309.93) of the Code, determine an amount of the unobligated portion of their allocation, up to a maximum of fifty percent of their anticipated total annual allocation, for the construction and reconstruction of local secondary roads. However, moneys from the farm-to-market road fund shall not be so used if the moneys are needed to match federal funds available for farm-to-market road projects.

A county shall not use farm-to-market road funds as described in this section unless the total funds that the county raised during the prior calendar year pursuant to section three hundred nine point eight (309.8), subsections one (1), three (3), and four (4), of the Code are at least seventy-five percent of the maximum funds the county could have raised in the prior calendar year pursuant to section three hundred nine point seven (309.7) of the Code.

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